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| 2. X The allowed claim(s) is/are 24, 26-37, 39-42, renumbered as 1-12 | |
| 3. \square The drawings filed on are acceptable as for | mal drawings. |
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| 5 Information Disclosure Statement(s) (PTO-1449), Paper No(s). | 6 ☐ Examiner's Amendment/Comment 8 ☐ Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance |
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